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## Here in HONDO

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Crow's for better cleaning. tf  
Kementone Paint at Gaines Store. tf  
Cold Drinks at Garrison's Confectionery. tf  
W. A. Mask & Co. have a supply of new iron. tf  
We buy eggs and grain. HONDO PRODUCE CO. 2tc  
Quick Service on Cleaning at CROW'S Cleaners. tf  
Brass lavatory faucets. ALAMO LUMBER COMPANY. tf  
Get your building material from the HONDO LUMBER CO. tf  
Trusses and abdominal belts at WINDROW DRUG STORE. tf  
Large stock of Fishing Tackle just arrived at Gaines store. tf  
We buy ear corn. See us before you sell. HONDO PRODUCE CO. tf  
Revolving Sprinklers for sale at the ALAMO LUMBER COMPANY. tf  
WE BUY EGGS. CHAPMAN WILL AND GRAIN CO., Hondo. tf  
Stock watering troughs for sale at ALAMO LUMBER COMPANY. tf  
If your pants need pockets we have the material. CROW'S Cleaners. tf  
Cutter Blackleg—protects any age calf for life—at FLY DRUG CO. tf  
Laundry Service at CROW'S Cleaners. Phone 125 for more information. tf  
FOR SALE—Twelve Rhode Island pullets. See OSCAR SAUTER, Hondo. tf  
Ice cream, cold drinks, candies and cigarettes at Garrison's Confectionery. tf  
Register now for your "BENDIX" to assure early delivery. E. R. LEINWEBER CO. tf  
REYNOLDS PEN—guaranteed to write for two years without refilling—at FLY DRUG CO. tf  
A limited supply of Pangborn's Easter Candy. Get yours early at Garrison's Confectionery. tf  
Fluorescent lighting fixtures for sale and installed. LEINWEBER Electric Supply & Repair. tf  
Maytag water softener. Makes hard water like rain water. At ALAMO LUMBER COMPANY. tf  
Choice Gladiolus Bulbs for sale. Plant now. All colors. Call at Heyen's Ford or Sunshine Tailor Shop. 3tc  
FOR SALE—4-wheel trailer, good farm trailer. Baker Sinclair Service Station, Highway 90, Hondo. tf  
FOR SALE—Two registered Hereford bulls; also two high grades. ERWIN LUTZ, Utopia, Texas. 3tpd  
Let us fill your doctor's prescriptions. Filled by Graduate Registered Pharmacists. WINDROW DRUG STORE. tf  
Mr. and Mrs. Oswald Keller and Editor John C. Biediger, all of LaCoste, were Hondo business visitors Tuesday. tf  
For Water Well drilling write E. T. PETERS, Box 88, Hondo, Texas, or see me at 4144 Jones Place, Navigation Village. 5tpd  
To Rent—12 acres of land east of Hondo city limits on south side of Highway 90, for share of crop. See Henry V. Haass, Hondo, Texas. 5tpd  
Mrs. Isidro Gomez and daughter, Miss Tillie, were here Monday on a visit to their daughter and sister, Mrs. Joe S. Santos. Their home is in Castroville. tf  
Robert L. Cosgrove received his discharge March 4, 1946, after serving three and a half years in the Coast Guard. He spent 15 months in the Aleutians. tf  
Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Parsons and Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Cosgrove returned Wednesday from a ten days visit with Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Parsons and family in Uplands, Calif. tf  
Miss Patricia Ney of San Antonio and her sister, Miss Dorothy Ney, student at Incarnate Word College, spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ney. tf  
Harold J. Moehring, son of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Moehring, after 3 years, 6 months and 22 days service in the Coast Guard, was honorably discharged at New Orleans on March 23rd. The young man spent 18 months over seas, the greater part of the time being in the Asiatic Pacific. He is a veteran of the Okinawa, Iwo Jima and Iyheima campaigns and was during the last four months with the occupation forces in Japan. He is happy to get back home unscathed. tf  
Homer H. Leinweber, R. M. 3-c, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry A. Leinweber, received his honorable discharge from the U. S. Navy on March 20, at Camp Wallace, Texas. He served 19 months in the Pacific theater. He was stationed aboard three ships, the last being a destroyer, which helped patrol the waters of the Japanese homeland since the war ended. He now intends to go back to Draughon's Business College to continue his studies under the G. I. Bill of Rights, after a few weeks stay in Hondo with home folks. tf

### COMMUNITY CENTER CHATTER

**Ping Pong Tournament**  
Tomorrow is the day—the day when the two high school ping pong champions will be decided. The tournament will include both girls' and boys' play. The first games are scheduled to get under way at 9:30 in the morning, with the championship games to be played late Saturday afternoon. The first round games will be decided on the best two out of three games; the semi-finals and finals, three out of five. A judge will be appointed for each table. Come and watch the youth!!

**Center Council Meeting**  
The council held its regular monthly meeting at the center on Monday evening. The council voted to assist the Home Demonstration Council in the county-wide barbecue to be held on May 4th. Pictures of the center which were taken a short time ago will be purchased and displayed at the club.

**New Library Hours**  
It has been announced that new hours have been set up for the opening of the library. The library, starting today (Friday) will be open from four to six on Tuesday and Friday afternoons. The Business and Professional Women's Club have secured many current books which may be checked out of the library. Why not check over the library to see what books can be found?

**Dates to Remember**  
April 6th—Ping Pong Tournament  
May 4th—County-wide Barbecue

**Letter of Appreciation**  
Mrs. Christine Mayberry, Home Demonstration Agent, received a letter from Miss Laura Lane, Editor Extension Service, extending her appreciation to the people of Hondo for the hospitality extended the Misses Bullett and Gelbach of the Country Gentlemen on their recent visit to Hondo. This information we pass on to the many Hondo people who had anything to do with this event.

### GAMMA UPSILON CHAPTER MEETS IN SABINAL

The Sabinal members of Gamma Upsilon Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma were hostesses for the meeting of the chapter at 3 p.m. Saturday afternoon, March 30th, in the home of Mrs. E. L. Soyars in Sabinal. Representatives were present from Uvalde, Real and Medina counties.

The business of the day included the election of new members, selection of delegates for the Delta Kappa Gamma state convention at Abilene on April 26-27, and voting on disposition of the scholarship fund. Mrs. Amos Finger of D'Hanis, president of Gamma Upsilon, presided over the session.

The group voted to maintain a chapter scholarship fund, the amount accumulating to be placed in a savings account. When the fund has reached a sizeable amount, the fund will be available for some worthy person to use for study in some Texas college or university.

Miss Anna Mae Ford of Uvalde and Miss Erixa Ruckman of Sabinal were elected official delegates to represent the Chapter at the State convention. Alternates are Miss Nora Karner of Hondo and Mrs. Lillian Hubert of Hondo.

The Chapter went on record as an educational organization favoring the establishment of the Southwest Texas Joint County Junior College. This school, if established, will be located at Uvalde.

The program following the business meeting was presented by Miss Isabella Johnson and Miss Lula Lee McMeans, both of LaCoste. The former spoke on personal appearance, social life, recreation and hobbies of teachers. The subject of Miss McMeans' presentation was the "Effect of Legislation on the Teacher's Feeling of Security."

Beautiful spring flowers decorated the home, while in the dining room the lace-laid tea table had a centerpiece of deep blue and pink corn flowers and delphinium. Refreshments of paradise pudding, crackers, olives, cake, mints and iced tea were served. Sabinal hostesses were Mesdames E. L. Soyars, Al Weir, Chester Griffin, Mant Adele Stockley, and Miss Erixa Ruckman.

Members from Medina County attending were Mrs. Amos Finger, Mrs. S. H. Williams, Mrs. Frank Hartman, Mrs. O. R. Humble, and Miss Carrie Langfield of D'Hanis; Miss Willie D. Fly, Mrs. Lillian Hubert, Miss Nora Karner, Miss Thelma Lynch, and Miss Anne Davis of Hondo; Mrs. Matt Bader, Miss Isabella Johnson and Miss Lula Lee McMeans of LaCoste.

### MAJOR BARRY DISCHARGED

Randolph Field, Texas, March 29. Major James G. Barry, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Barry, Smithville, Texas, received his honorable discharge at Ft. Sam Houston after 43 months of service with the Army Air Corps. His wife, Mrs. Wilma Barry, and two children have been residing at San Marcos, Texas.

Just before receiving his discharge, Major Barry was stationed at Randolph Field where he served as Project Officer for the disposition of recreation property at inactivated stations. While here he served under AAF Flying Training Command. Prior to this Major Barry served as Special Services Officer at San Marcos AAF, San Marcos, Texas.

At the time of his entry into the service, Major Barry was acting as superintendent of schools at Hondo, Texas.

Major and Mrs. Barry and family intend to reside in San Antonio, Tex.

### NOTICE TO ALL MEDINA COUNTY NEWSPAPERS

Under the G. I. Bill of Rights returned veterans are eligible to qualify for Vocational Agricultural Training. These schools may be established in any community. The teaching load of the instructor shall be limited to not more than 25 trainees per teacher. Each veteran enrolled in the school and meeting requirements will receive subsistence pay of either \$65 per month as a single man or \$90 per month if having dependents. The purpose of this schooling is as follows:

1—To assist veterans to establish or reestablish themselves in agricultural pursuits.

2—To provide such training as will improve the skills of the veterans who wish to remain on the ranch or the farm.

3—To improve the life of these veterans to such an extent as will assure them economic, emotional and social stability for themselves as well as for their families.

4—To give practical rather than academic help to those who do not have the time, finances nor preparation to attend agricultural colleges of this state.

The work will be in charge of a vocational agricultural teacher working under the direction of the County Board of Education. The Veterans Administration will pay the tuition allowed to qualified veterans to the school authority providing the tuition does not exceed \$500.00 per year. Any agricultural or farm mechanics problem that exist in the community and desired by the returned soldiers shall be offered. The trainee shall average 25 hours per week. Of the 25 hours allotted enrollees, six hours shall be devoted to classroom instruction, 8 hours to field trips and 11 hours to supervised practice on-the-job per week. The course must be initiated not later than four years after date of the veterans discharge from service or after termination of World War Two, whichever is later. Any eligible veteran is entitled to training for one year, and in addition thereto the time such person was in active service on or after Sept. 16, 1940, and before the termination of the War. In no event, will the total period of education be permitted to exceed four years.

IF ANY VETERANS ARE INTERESTED IN TAKING THIS COURSE AND HAVING A WORKING ORGANIZATION SET UP IN ANY TOWN IN THIS COUNTY, PLEASE COMMUNICATE WITH HANS RICHARDS, SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS, HONDO, TEXAS, A. A. MURRELL, SERVICE OFFICER, HONDO, TEXAS; JOHN MCANALLY, VOCATIONAL AGRICULTURE TEACHER, HONDO, TEXAS, OR J. D. KLINGEMAN, SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS, DEVINE, TEXAS.

**NOTICE OF ELECTION IN AN INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT**  
An election for the purpose of electing three trustees for the D'Hanis Independent School District will be held in the school auditorium Saturday, April 6. Polls will open at 8:00 a. m. and close at 7:00 p. m. The vacancies to be filled are those of Herman Ney and P. F. Saathoff, whose terms expire, and the one left by the resignation of Woodrow Glascock.

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### THE SENIOR CLASS PRESENTS GIRL SHY

On Friday night, April 12th, the Senior Class of Hondo High School presents their annual Senior Play, entitled GIRL SHY.

The general theme of the play, as the title implies, concerns Tom Arsdale, who is very shy of the female race. Needless to say the person picked for this part is definitely suited since J. Ray Swanger does a good job of portraying Tom Arsdale. His companion, Oke Stimson, portrayed by Arthur Dawson, is certainly not girl shy and probably never will be. On the contrary, "he is the most devoted man to the girl of his choice." Need I say that no one could have better portrayed the part than Arthur? These two boys are found in their bachelor's apartment at the beginning of the play and here the following events of the play take place.

Complications set in when Barbara Sanford, portrayed by Mary Joyce Saathoff, makes a play for the ever girl shy boy and does a wonderful job of capturing his heart. Oke would have taken the beautiful creature into his guidance but at the present he has his hands full with Peaches Carter, alias Jeanie Poerner.

Tom is very happy until he learns that his father, Mr. Arsdale, portrayed by Selby Woods, is going to bring Sylvia Webster, played by Norma Kollman, the girl who intends to marry him, to his college graduation. He decides that if he can get himself engaged before Sylvia gets there she simply can't marry him. However, this brings up the complication of getting a boy friend for Sylvia. Oke, full of ideas, thinks that Alfred Tennyson Murgatoyd—the school poet, would suit her perfectly. This part is cleverly portrayed by Henry Holloway.

Aunt Caroline, who accompanies Mr. Arsdale and Sylvia to Tom's graduation, is portrayed by Margaret Ann Laughinghouse. She immediately is attracted to the Dean of the college—played by Charles Koch.

Humor is added to the play by the love-making of Chuck, played by Clinton Taylor, and Birdie, played by Betty Garrison. It was always Birdie's ambition to be a movie actress, but since she doesn't make the grade Chuck says he will love her anyway.

Last but not least comes our "blackout" of the play, Asma, played by Catherine Woods. All of these characters involved in a very complicated plot weave a story we think you will enjoy.

Here's hoping you can be with us on Friday night, April 12th for a play we think you will like. COME ONE COME ALL!

### QUIHI NEWS

Announcements for April:  
April 7: Sunday school and Bible class at 9:30; English service 10:30; deacons meet.

April 10: English Lenten service, 8 p. m.

April 14: Sunday school and Bible class, usual time; German service, 10:30; Sunday school teachers meet; English service at New Fountain; Confession and Lord's Supper, 2:30.

April 19: Good Friday, Confession service 10:15; main German service 10:30; Communion.

April 21: Easter; Sunday school and Bible class at 9:30; Confession service 10:15; English main service 10:30; Communion.

April 28: German service at New Fountain, 10:30. Turn unto the Lord your God; for He is gracious and merciful, slow to anger, and of great kindness. Joel 2:13.

—C. W.

### VOICE OF THE CHAMBER

**Civilian Production Administration**  
Newly appointed regional directors and district managers who will screen construction applications in 71 cities throughout the nation were announced today by the Civilian Production Administration.

They will establish Construction Field Offices in key cities to pass on the essentiality of future building, in an effort to channel as much scarce building material as possible into the Veterans' Housing Program.

The appointments were made in cooperation with National Housing Expeditor Wilson W. Wyatt's program to construct 2,700,000 moderate cost houses and apartments (for World War 2 Veterans during 1946 and 1947).

Men appointed for Region 7 (states of Texas, Oklahoma, Louisiana, and New Mexico) include Regional Director George L. Noble, Dallas and District Manager George W. Chambers of San Antonio.

### Agricultural and Livestock Committee

The above committee has recommended and has received approval of the chamber to assist in the promotion of a Turkey Poultry project for Medina County. The Lions' Club and the Business and Professional Women's Club have signified their intention of assisting in this program.

This project is to be conducted in cooperation with the San Antonio Chamber of Commerce and the various civic organizations in Medina County. Mr. C. M. Merritt, County Agent, Mrs. Christine Mayberry, Home Demonstration Agent, Miss Minnie Appling, H. E. advisor and Mr. John McAnelly, FFA sponsor, will select the young people to whom these poultry will be given. The youth will pay back this "loan" upon the sale of the poultry or the eggs at the conclusion of the feeding season.

Further information relative to this project may be secured from any of the above listed people.

### "King of Kings"

The picture, "King of Kings" will be shown on April 18th and 19th and will be sponsored by the Ministerial Alliance of Hondo. However, the picture will not be shown at the Raye Theatre as previously announced. Watch for future announcements relative to this event.

### Orchids!

Orchids to the Hondo High School Choral Club and their director, Miss Dell Scott, for their fine musical program last Friday evening. Congratulations to all those who participated.

**WHAT CAN FARM AND RANCH PEOPLE AND OTHERS DO TO HELP MEET THE WORLD FOOD CRISIS AND PREVENT RETURN OF RATIONING?**

Medina Co. USDA Council Recommendation:

After studying the report of the President's Famine Emergency Committee the following recommendations for the conservation of wheat and wheat products and food fats and oils in Medina Co. are recommended:

The world faces the gigantic emergency of famine among five hundred million people due to war exhaustion of agriculture and drought.

A great human cry has come to us to save them over a terrible four months until the next harvest. The Western Hemisphere alone has the aid to give, and a heavy part of the burden falls upon the United States.

These people can survive if we provide a minimum of bread and fats to them. Of breadstuffs, wheat can best be transported and used in the famine countries. Therefore, we are asking our citizens to make a voluntary sacrifice of 40 percent of their consumption of wheat produced and 20 percent of food fats and oils during this next 120 days.

For public eating places, we ask that they use no more than an average of two pounds of flour per customer per week. This means about two pounds of bread and one-half pound of other wheat products. We ask that the service of food fats be reduced by 20 percent.

For householers, we simply ask that you reduce your purchases of wheat products by 40 per cent and fats by 20 per cent.

We have adequate food beyond what we must ship to meet the needs of the starving. Even if we send them every possible pound of wheat and fats, the quantity of food remaining in our country still will be greater than pre-war. We are asking that all who can grow victory gardens and thus help to assure continued abundance of food.

In order that there may be continued plenty of all other foodstuffs, we ask that there be no waste. America still throws away the richest garbage in the world.

To avert hunger, we cannot fail to meet this call. If we fail we shall see a world of disorders which will paralyze every effort at recovery and peace. We shall see the death of millions of fellow human beings. Guns speak the first word of victory, but only food can spread the last word.

Please read the ads of your local business houses found elsewhere in this issue.

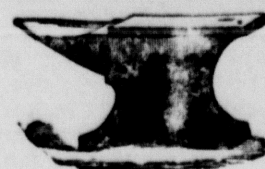
### MILK

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## SPARKS

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### HELP WANTED

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### NEWSPAPER MAN OF LONG EXPERIENCE ADDED TO STAFF OF FENTON COURIER

Joe G. Hudgens, 29-year-old newspaperman who was honorably discharged from the Army about three weeks ago, joined the staff of the Fenton Courier as news editor and advertising manager.

Mr. Hudgens served for nearly three and a half years in the Army Air Forces, with a primary duty of Public Relations Specialist.

Prior to enlisting in the service Hudgens had been employed for six years as city editor of the Rogers (Ark.) Daily News. Before taking over that job he served that newspaper in the capacity of advertising manager. He has been associated with various other Arkansas, Texas and Oklahoma newspapers in not only editorial and advertising positions but also in composing room work.

The Arkansan comes from a newspaper family. His father, formerly editor and publisher of a daily newspaper in Oklahoma, now is publisher of the Daily News and Weekly Democrat at Rogers, Ark.

Before his enlistment, Hudgens served as president of the Rogers Junior Chamber of Commerce, which he helped to organize, and was active in all other civic organizations, including the Kiwanis Club, Chamber of Commerce, Little Theater Group, and participated in some musical entertainment programs. He was a member of the Ozark Society of Photographers.

A brother-in-law of William L. Thorburn, editor and publisher of The Courier, Mr. Hudgens and his wife, Virginia, and their 4-months old son are living temporarily at 106 West Shawassee while searching for a permanent residence.

The Courier plans big things for Fenton since the acquisition of Joe and we both envy and congratulate both the Courier and Fenton. While connected with the Public Relations Office at Hondo Army Air Field under Captain Taylor, he used to write the Air Field Notes for the Captain and bring the copy to our shop and put it into type for us. In this capacity he was easily the best all-around machine operator who ever touched our machine and rendered us some invaluable service.

We had hopes sunny Texas would induce him to become a partner with us, and the Courier's and Fenton's gain be ours and Hondo's. But the heart-strings of a pretty daughter of Michigan who loves her state, and not its cold winters, we are sure, drew him away to the north.

We are thus left looking for another—and where shall we find another Joe Hudgens!

### LOCAL PASTOR TO ENTER MONASTERY

Rev. Emil T. Vinklarek, administrator of St. John's Parish of Hondo, bid farewell to his parishioners Sunday, March 31st, and left this week to prepare for joining the Order of Cistercians of the Strict Observance (Trappists) in the Abbey of Our Lady of Gethsemane, Kentucky. Fulfilling the desire to aspire to a higher religious life, Father Vinklarek has received the permission of Archbishop Robert E. Lucey of the San Antonio Archdiocese to take this step.

Father Vinklarek is the eldest son of Alex Vinklarek and the late Mrs. Vinklarek from near Smithville, Texas. He has eight brothers and sisters, one sister being a member of the Sisters of Divine Providence in San Antonio. He was ordained to the priesthood on June 12, 1941 and since that time has served as assistant in St. Michael's parish, Weimar; St. Mary's parish, Victoria, and St. John's parish, Hondo. He was later named administrator of the latter parish. While in Victoria he was chaplain of the local Council of the Knights of Columbus.

His successor here is Father Emmett Kolodzie, a native of San Antonio. He received his education and training at St. John's Seminary, St. Mary's, Baltimore, and St. Mary's University. He has ministered as assistant at St. Mary's, Victoria, St. Henry's in San Antonio, and as pastor in Koerth, Boerne and Nixon. He has had a wide field of parochial work and is being welcomed to Hondo.

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**MANAGER** Eddie Dyer of the Cardinals has about all the pitchers two teams could use. Your guess would be that Eddie has nothing to worry about. But the first section of any manager's job is to worry about something.

Two of Manager Dyer's worries now are Johnny Grodzicki and



Eddie Dyer

George Munger, passing the officer's school test in the Pacific area, has made such a fine record the army doesn't want to let him go. The main point of this yarn is that Dyer believes both men could have been two of the best pitchers in baseball.

"When I had Grodzicki at Columbus in 1941," Dyer says, "I thought he was the best minor league pitcher I ever saw. Six-foot-one, 185 pounds, he had what you might call everything. That season Johnny won 19 games and lost 5 when his record might just as well have been 22 wins and 2 defeats. In addition to a fine arm he had both head and heart, but an uncertain right leg due to a shrapnel wound which has been healing slowly. But he is still undisciplined. In shape Johnny might easily have been a 25 or 28-game winner.

"George Munger, in my book, is one of the best pitchers in Cardinal history. In his last season with the Cardinals in 1944, Munger won 11 games and lost 3. But he was just beginning to find himself. He is now on duty on the Far East and I don't know when we'll get him back. Munger is another who might have led the league."

These two are not the only cases. The game through 1946 will give you many others from other clubs.

### Vets Will Dominate

The pennant races of 1946 will feature largely returning players from the service forces. Among those I might mention are Bob Feller, Joe DiMaggio, Ted Williams, Tex Hughson, Joe Gordon, Bobby Doerr, Bill Dickey, Phil Rizzuto, Johnny Mize, Hank Greenberg, Dick Wakefield, Spud Chandler, Charlie Keller, Johnny Beazley, Howie Pollet, Peeewe Reese, Pete Reiser, Country Slaughter, Terry Moore, Dave Ferriss, Dom DiMaggio, and many, many more.

It is from this ex-service list that you will find the pennant winners the leading hitters and the leading pitchers. They will dominate the double show. There will be others who were not in service who will play good ball.

Here is an example. In 1945, Snuffy Stirnweiss led the American league hitters with a season's average of .309. Yet it is the opinion of many smart baseball men that it will take a mark of .360 or .370 to lead the punching parade this season in the junior circuit. I put this query up to six American league veterans, including Bill Dickey and George Selkirk, who know their way around. There were four or five others from American league clubs. It was also their opinion that the 1945 winning mark of .309 wouldn't finish in the first 12.

### Pitching Won't Matter

"What about the better pitching that is coming in?" I asked. "I mean such men as Feller, Hughson, etc."

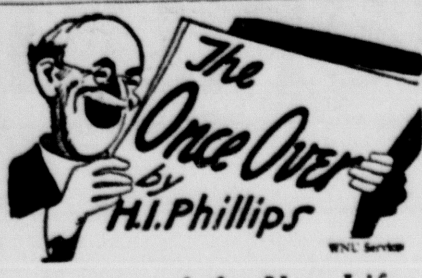
"This will make little difference," one veteran answered. "Hitters like Ted Williams, Wakefield, Greenberg, DiMaggio, Keller and many others will still keep on hitting the ball. Good pitching can wreck the ordinary hitter. But it never wrecks the true hitter who knows how to swing a bat and get his hits."

"The National league with Phil Cavarretta, Tommy Holmes and others was far ahead of the American league last season. That won't happen again. Watch and see. The American league will take back its old spot as the harder-hitting league, and it will have to face pitching that is just as good."

### S. American Baseball

No one can shake Larry MacPhail, the Dodgers' owner, loose from the idea that baseball is headed for a big boom in Latin America and that what we often call "The National Game" will soon be the national game of Mexico, Panama, Venezuela, Colombia, Cuba and other tropical spots.

"The answer is simple enough," MacPhail says with emphatic gestures. "The kids of these countries are baseball crazy. It is the only game most of them want to play. It is the only game most of them care to talk about. Their knowledge of baseball today is amazing. I'm not guessing about this, for I've been in the middle of at least part of it. 'To my mind this will be the best possible building for any good neighborhood policy for Latin American friendship. Baseball could do more good in this respect than all the diplomats we could ever assemble."



### Japan and the New Life

Go easy, Japan, will ya? You're killing us with that contortionist act and that changing-a-warrior-into-a-turtle-dove number.

Now you've come out for a new constitution, a bill of rights, an American style declaration of independence, freedom of speech, freedom of religion, freedom of thought, freedom of the press and freedom of the Chautauqua Salute.

You renounce war as the right of the nation and you cast out "the use of threats or force in any form." And you say "the maintenance of land, sea or air forces will never again be authorized by Japan."

But we can't help asking "Are we supposed to take it in capsule or powder form, and does it taste better in orange juice?"

There's an old adage that you can't make a silk purse out of a sow's ear, a baby-chick out of a buzzard or a wax figure entitled "Love and Kisses" out of a record of Bataan.

We don't know which is the most disturbing, a country that comes out of a global shindig breathing red-fire and yelling "I can lick any man in the house" or one that comes out singing "Hearts and Flowers" and with a passion for necking with the conqueror.

Plenty of people think Russia thumbing its nose at all corners is more comforting than Japan thumbing through a book of good resolutions.

Never in history has a warrior state changed faster to Old Mother Hubbard with touches of Sunbonnet Sue.

Freedom of speech, freedom of thought and freedom of religion are fine but not so fast, boys with the freedom of back-slapping, freedom of grease-balling, freedom of kow-towing and freedom of fried mush!

It is great to change voices in mid-character, but the speed is a little dazzling.

The first thing we know you will be renouncing jiu jitsu, talking back to the phone girl and speaking roughly to the cat.

You may even repudiate Japanese wrestling.

Go easy, pu-leaze! The emperor who never let anybody look down on him now operates at eye level. The potentate who never mixed with the folks now gives autographs in crowded department store elevators and prefers an escalator to the white horse. Fair warning, Nippon! Don't come out for compulsory radio crooning!

Mr. Hoover urges all housewives to discontinue fried foods to save fats. Fine! But what will the doctors tell a man to stop eating when he comes in with indigestion?

**LINES IN ENVY**  
("Aga Khan Weighed in Gems, Gets \$1,200,000."—news item.)

I sometimes am proud of my racket.

Quite often I think I'm the nerts, I once made those uppermost brackets—

(And never complained "How this hurts!")

My friends I declare all quite hearty,

And life can be sweet, I declare. But nobody throws me a party

And weighs me in gems extra rare!

I sometimes feel very top-doggy;

My line I announce is okay;

My path isn't any too boggy—

The stuff that I get isn't hay;

I stand pretty well, so I figure;

The angles all seem very nice;

My grip on my public gets bigger

But nobody weighs me in "ice"!

The Aga Khan has what seems to be a great racket. Once a year his people stage a great show and weigh him in diamonds, the proceeds in cash going to his coffers. The other day he tipped the scales at 243½ in Bombay and got over a million. Beyond all doubt he has a better argument than any other man on earth against reducing.

**PEACE OF EXHAUSTION**

The General Motors strike is over and there is much speculation on which side won. To us it looks like a tie in a fall out of bed.

The federal communications committee announces that in its forms for new applications and renewals of radio licenses it is working to "check advertising excesses," particularly with respect to exasperating commercials. What it means is that it thinks the commercials should end somewhere between the point where the program begins and where it ends.

"Raise Auto Ceilings."—headline. Fine! Bumps on our head are pretty numerous.

## Kathleen Norris Says:

### When a Marriage Ossifies

Bell Syndicate.—WNU Features.



"For seven long years of their marriage Francie argued very definitely and firmly that they could not afford a child."

#### By KATHLEEN NORRIS

THE trouble with most marriages is that they fell. By which I mean that they get set into a certain form and shape, and neither party to the contract takes the trouble ever to change them.

Having mutually flattered and spoiled and given way to each other in the ecstatic days of the honeymoon, both husband and wife naturally begin to think themselves perfect. Any criticism after that—if it is merely to brown the toast a little darker—must be offered with the utmost tact. If presently Peter says that Susan's upswep hairdo is prettier, in his humble opinion, than the eternal bell-shape of hanging locks, Susan is deeply wounded.

"Don't you like the way I usually wear my hair, Peter?"

"Of course I do, darling. Only this way is pretty, too."

"You never said, all those lovely days at Cypress Point, that you hated the way I do my hair!"

"I never hated it, honey. I just thought—"

#### How It Begins.

But that's just it, Peter. You may be one of those unfortunate husbands who mustn't think, at least as far as any change is concerned. And right there your marriage begins to jell.

Any marriage is in danger when you begin to hear husband or wife say things like this:

"The piano will stay there, Peter, because that's the place for it."

"We can't, Mary. Peter never goes to weddings."

"Why should we go to the company picnic? We never have."

"When we were first married you weren't always yapping about being home evenings."

"Don't let's talk when Peter's here. He hates to hear women talking clothes."

"She always gets mad if it's poker. Just don't say anything about it."

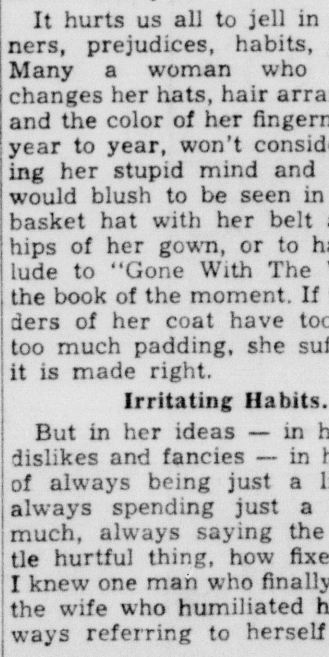
"That disgusting smell of your pipe again!"

Neither one willing to change, to stop now and then to consider the other's point of view. And one more marriage is hardening into failure. To say "I am always like that, and he'll just have to make up his mind to it," doesn't hurt him half as much as it hurts you.

It hurts us all to jell in our manners, prejudices, habits, thoughts. Many a woman who carefully changes her hats, hair arrangements and the color of her fingernails from year to year, won't consider changing her stupid mind and soul. She would blush to be seen in a peach-basket hat with her belt about the hips of her gown, or to happily allude to "Gone With The Wind" as the book of the moment. If the shoulders of her coat have too little or too much padding, she suffers until it is made right.

#### Irritating Habits.

But in her ideas—in her rooted dislikes and fancies—in her habits of always being just a little late, always spending just a little too much, always saying the light little hurtful thing, how fixed she is! I knew one man who finally divorced the wife who humiliated him by always referring to herself as poor.



"My dear, that's for rich people."

#### HARD-SHELL PERSONALITIES

As Miss Norris points out in today's article, it takes an effort on the part of both husband and wife to keep a marriage from going stale. As soon as one or both of the partners begin to let down, to be less considerate of the other than he used to be, the danger zone is crossed. Habits of nagging, complaining, criticizing put a strain on the bonds of matrimony. Carelessness in dress, in courtesy, in regard for the others' feelings and desires, mark the end of the happy days of true love.

Among the worst failings is the tendency to complain to friends about the family income. It is never enough to satisfy some women. Always someone else has so much more, and comparisons can make a woman so miserable!

Probably most fatal, however, is the refusal of one or both spouses to change his ways a bit, to make adjustments that are necessary to get along smoothly. A hardened attitude, stubborn, unchangeable personality traits, lays the foundation for dissension, quarrels, and in many cases, divorce.

They were not poor, he was a hard-working, intelligent and capable man, but it satisfied some deep sadistic vein in Francie to complain prettily to her friends of poverty.

"My dear, that's for rich people. Bob and I can't afford anything like that. It would be lovely, but poor folks can't be choosers," said Francie, for 12 long years. Her pretty home, her car, her generous share of the good things of life meant nothing to her. Wifely consideration and generosity were nowhere. For the seven long years of their marriage Francie argued very definitely and firmly that they could not afford a child.

"Not until we can give him everything!" she said. That time never came. But a divorce and a second marriage came for Bob, who now has a nurseryful of small children. Children to be given just as good a chance as any in the world, and better.

Human life is change and movement. Spiritual life is change and movement, too. Unless you are continually examining your marriage, studying your part in it, thinking of the ways you yourself may change, in mind, soul and body, to make yourself sweeter and dearer to those near to you, your marriage may go dead.

A woman my age often looks back with regret to the vagaries of her younger years, the unnecessary things she wanted, the foolish laws she laid down, the things she positively "couldn't do." Too late she learns how little she really needed for happiness, how useless the laws were, how many of the "impossible" things she had to do. But how much prayer and thought and study a young wife needs, to keep her marriage from jelling!

#### GRAVY MAKING

Cookery calls for expert gravy-making. Though gravy must often be made the last thing before serving the meal, it pays to take time to measure carefully, mix thoroughly, and cook slowly with steady stirring.

For best flavor and rich brown color, blend the flour with the fat. Then slowly add cool or lukewarm liquid, while stirring over low heat. The right proportions are: 1½ to 2 tablespoons each of flour and fat to 1 cup of liquid.



#### RUSSIA WAR TALK

WASHINGTON. — It's no secret that there's been considerable talk among the brass hats in the Pentagon building about war with Russia. Some of this comes from men who honestly feel war is inevitable and favor getting it over with right now. Others chiefly favor a little war talk because of its help in passing military conscription.

However, there can be no doubt about the views of the top military man in the war department—Gen. Dwight Eisenhower.

Two or three weeks ago, Eisenhower was attending a Washington dinner party when people began to talk about war with Russia. Irrked by the conversation, he remarked that he was "amazed that so many people should suddenly be seriously considering the idea of war with Russia."

Then the chief of staff proceeded to give a pointed lecture on the foolishness of this war talk, which can be briefly summarized as follows:

"People who want war should only think a few minutes about the sacrifice Russia has made in the past five years—a loss of life and property so large we cannot conceive of it. A people who have suffered such a loss will not turn tail before any military force in the world today. But at the same time they will not go out and look for another war."

"And neither will we. This country is no more anxious to go to war with Russia. Our losses are great, and we want no more. Certainly the American people do not want to get involved in a war in which there can be no end but the destruction of the greater part of the world."

"We have nothing to gain to start with, and would have nothing left when it is over."

#### ANTI-HOUSING LOBBY

Most powerful lobby since the war threw itself into the battle to defeat the Wyatt housing program for veterans. Every congressman received wires, phone calls, letters from builders, lumber dealers, real estate men.

Many telegrams were phony, as several congressmen discovered when they tried to answer them. Others were signed with the names of people who later assured members of congress that they had not seen or sent the wires. These tactics, of course, have been used before.

The prize telegram, however, was one sent to all congressmen from the St. Paul-Minneapolis area by the Northwestern Flooring and Lumber company, of which V. H. Alberts is president.

After urging that the veterans' housing program be defeated, the lumber company had the gall to add:

"Please also exert your efforts to oppose a standing vote on these issues."

#### NO TRUMAN ROAD

Folks back in Jackson county, Mo., usually are willing to go the limit for any honor to their native son, Harry Truman. But a recent proposal to change the name of Van Horn road, an important traffic artery named after an early county pioneer, met with a storm of protest. Some of the rural citizens balked at stealing one person's tombstone to honor another.

Van Horn road was named after Col. R. T. Van Horn, who settled in the county in 1855 when Kansas City's population was about 455. He became mayor of Kansas City, was active in Missouri politics, and bought the county's first newspaper, later the Kansas City Journal, now defunct.

#### WALLACE AND IKES

Henry Wallace and Harold Ickes, although agreeing on basic political ideals, have never been warm friends. For 13 long years they served in the same cabinet, but part of the time they fought like cat and dog over who was to run the forest service and the soil conservation service.

Ickes' exit from the Truman cabinet has left Wallace as the last of the original Roosevelt New Dealers, and the only cabinet member with a powerful hold on independent voters. An original Republican—as was Ickes—Wallace is strong with the Negro voters, labor, and the independent liberals.

As a result, Wallace's position inside the administration is better than ever. Truman and Bob Hannagan both are anxious to retain at least one all-out New Dealer. Wallace is their man.

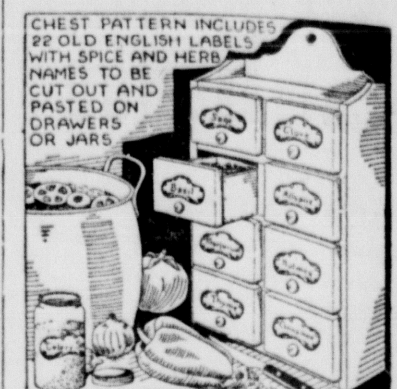
#### SOUTHERN LABOR DRIVE

One of the most important labor decisions since the CIO broke away from the AFL has just been taken.

Phil Murray, head of the CIO, has decided to pour one million dollars into the greatest union organizing drive the south has ever seen. In a few weeks, CIO organizers by the hundreds will begin moving into Georgia, Florida, Mississippi, Alabama, Tennessee, and the Carolinas, intent on organizing all unorganized labor, both Negro and white.

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### And Then Tommy Really Did Without!

Tommy was showing off his new bicycle. He went up the road, and on coming back shouted to his mother: "Look, Mum—no hands!"

"Oh, be careful, Tommy!" said his mother. "You'll hurt yourself!"

Tommy laughed, and cycled up the road again. When he next appeared he called out: "Look, Mum—no feet!"

"Oh, be careful, Tommy!" repeated his mother.

Again Tommy went off up the road, and it was some time before he reappeared. When he did, he called out, not quite so cheerfully: "Look, Mum—no teeth!"

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# NEWS BEHIND THE NEWS

By PAUL MALLON

Released by Western Newspaper Union.

## OVERHAULING OF UNRRA BY HOOVER EXPECTED

WASHINGTON, D. C. — The official whisper sent to the senate behind the Hoover appointment to world famine relief played down the job as a mere survey. Inquiring newsmen were told the Republican ex-President and skilled world food-handler was only to find out how much food was needed and how much was available—the job of a statistician or economist.



HERBERT HOOVER

Immediately, however, the reigning world food reliever, Herbert Lehman of UNRRA, was announced to be ill—whether from the news of the Hoover appointment or not. He offered his resignation to the world council of UNRRA opening Friday at Atlantic City.

These dovetailing circumstances lent credence to a natural interpretation that a complete overhaul of our relief efforts is at hand. Mr. Truman had earlier blackened the wheat content of bread, and his action took such swift effect that my baker this week began complaining that his flour had become grossly inferior, and that Mr. Truman did not know the severe effects of such an order. The quality of the loaf he gave me of this basic poor man's food certainly furnished evidence of a colossal mistake—or many of them—somewhere.

## PUBLIC ASKED TO RATION FOOD ON VOLUNTARY BASIS

I thought Messrs. Truman and Hoover, in later announcements, displayed a somewhat different approach to the matter. Mr. Truman asked the people to cut the use of wheat by 40 per cent and fats by 20 per cent, and Mr. Hoover spoke of setting up "a circuit of helpfulness around the world." Both generally indicated by their words that they would appeal for voluntary cooperation by the people in a truly democratic way. This was in clear contrast to totalitarian methods of requiring conformance by economic tricks and the force-methods so familiar during the war, both of which we borrowed to a considerable degree from the Nazi and Fascist ways. Officially it was said, for instance, we need not have rationing.

Personally I will say I will be able to avoid bread entirely, if the flour is to be corrupted to the extent of the last loaf I got. But as I say, bread is the poor man's basic food, the staff of life, and what I would like to see is the maintenance of its full quality for our people, and the feeding of famine victims to whatever extent is necessary.

I do not believe our food should have been—or should be—used for political purposes, for buying support abroad, unless we have surpluses. Our contribution should be limited to what is required to relieve actual human suffering. Now as to statistics on this subject, I have found from experience that a politically minded person can get nearly any kind he wants, and a careful sincere man must guard himself to the utmost against being misled into false assumptions by social reforming statisticians.

A reasonable and a democratic solution, with public support, seems possible to achieve, and a man of Mr. Hoover's experience should have a chance to work it out with the new Truman famine emergency committee.

Certainly nearly anything could be expected to be an improvement on the Lehman administration of UNRRA. Those senators and representatives who have gone abroad the past year or more have returned with astonishing tales of its inefficiency. Mr. Truman tried to help some by giving the army much of the job, and congress was ready to cut off UNRRA appropriations. However, the UNRRA planners marshalled their forces and recently got their appropriations in substance, after a fight.

# HOUSEHOLD MEMOS

by Lynn Chambers



For Supper Simplicity, Prepare It in Advance  
(See Recipes Below)

## Simple Suppers

Feel rushed on wash day? Too tired to put together a big meal?



That's the way a lot of our homemakers feel, so you're not the only one. But I have some nice cures for those washday blues with a number of quick dinners, or suppers, if you prefer calling a simple meal that instead of the other.

The trick to making mealtime easy on washday is to get as much of the supper together before you become involved with washday. Make a jellied salad while you're waiting for the breakfast stragglers to come down to eat, and prepare a casserole that can be refrigerated until baking time, and plan to have soft canned, chilled fruit with homemade cookies as a dessert. Round these main foods out with beverage, bread and butter and your dinner's prepared.

There are loads of casserole dishes that won't suffer any by being refrigerated before baking, and I've selected a few of these to pass on to you today. Cheese is good and very nourishing too, if you want a substitute for meat. Leftover vegetables combined with shreds of meat from the Sunday roast also whip up nicely into one of those all inclusive entrees for washday.

How would you like to serve this Cheese and Noodle Pie? Yes, it's actually made like a pie and, is served simply by slicing in wedges.

## Cheese and Noodle Pie.

(Serves 4 to 5)

- 2 tablespoons shortening or bacon drippings
- 2 tablespoons chopped, green pepper
- 1 cup milk
- 2 bouillon cubes
- 1 cup soft bread crumbs
- 2 eggs, beaten
- ½ teaspoon salt
- 2 teaspoons grated onion
- 2 cups coked medium noodles (4 ounces, uncooked)
- Wedges of American cheese

Melt shortening in pan, add green pepper and saute for 5 minutes, then add milk and bouillon cubes. Heat until cubes are dissolved. Add remaining ingredients, except cheese and turn into a buttered



baking dish, a nine-inch pie plate. Bake in a moderately slow (325-degree) oven for 35 minutes, or until the custard is set. Cut 3 slices of cheese, and then cut these into 6 wedges. Place on top of the hot pie,

## Lynn Says

**Eat More Eggs:** They're "in season" now, plentiful and economical. You'll like these savory ways for preparing them:

Make eggs into an omelet, adding 1½ cups of soft bread crumbs (for 4 eggs) to the fat in the pan before pouring the egg mixture in to cook. This gives a crispy, crunchy omelet.

Omelet with herbs? Yes, indeed, they're fine. Use any one of the following: chopped chives or parsley; chervil, basil, thyme, tarragon, sweet marjoram or fennel.

If you're scrambling eggs, make them glorified by adding frizzled dried beef or ham; chopped sauteed mushrooms; leftover vegetables.

While you're baking eggs, add little touches to make them more attractive. Partially cook bacon, fit around a muffin tin before breaking in the eggs. Or, sprinkle eggs in custard cups with ketchup. Line individual dishes with rice, break in egg and serve with mushroom sauce.

## Lynn Chambers' Menus

- Baked Stuffed Fish
- Anchovy Sauce Fried Potatoes
- \*Stuffed Beets
- Lettuce Salad
- Rolls
- Chocolate Cream Pie
- Beverage
- \*Recipe Given

the sharp points to the center. Increase oven temperature to moderately hot (400 degrees) and bake 10 minutes to melt and brown the cheese. Cut pie into wedges and serve piping hot.

Leftover vegetables need not furnish good material for the garbage pail. If you have several of them, combine them into delightful timbales for supper with a cheese sauce to go with them. A cheese sauce is easily made by melting ½ pound of cheese with ½ cup of milk in the top part of the double boiler while the timbales are baking.

## Vegetable Timbales.

(Serves 4 to 6)

- 1½ cups cooked peas
- 1½ cups cooked, drained corn
- 1 cup drained, canned tomatoes
- 1 tablespoon chopped onion
- 1½ cups soft bread crumbs
- 3 eggs
- ¼ cup melted butter or substitute
- Salt and pepper to taste

Mix all ingredients with a fork and add seasoning to taste. Pour into seven buttered custard cups and bake in a pan of water in a moderate (350-degree) oven for 45 to 50 minutes. Serve with cheese sauce.

If you are using all the eggs which rightfully belong to the diet, there's no better way to prepare them than curried. Here is a dish that can be prepared in the morning—yes, stuff the eggs and make the cream sauce. Then 15 minutes or so before dinner, light the oven and pop them in to heat.

## Curried Deviled Eggs.

(Serves 6)

- 12 hard-cooked eggs
- 1 teaspoon dry mustard
- 1 teaspoon grated onion
- Mayonnaise or salad dressing
- Salt and pepper
- 3 tablespoons butter
- 6 tablespoons flour
- 1½ teaspoons curry powder
- 3 cups milk
- 3 cups cooked peas
- ½ teaspoon sage
- 1 teaspoon sugar

Halve eggs lengthwise. Remove yolks. Mash. Add mustard, onion, and enough salad dressing to moisten. Season to taste with salt and pepper. Refill egg whites with yolk mixture. Heat butter, blend in flour and curry powder; gradually add milk. Cook over boiling water, stirring constantly until thick. Season to taste with salt and pepper and cook 5 minutes. Arrange 4 halved eggs in individual serving or baking dishes and pour sauce over eggs. Combine peas, sage and sugar and arrange in border around the eggs. Bake in a moderately hot (375-degree) oven for 15 minutes or until thoroughly heated.



A dessert that can be started baking before the Curried DevilEggs is this quick and easy Fudge Cake. It takes it easy on shortening.

## Fudge Cake.

(Eight-inch square pan)

- 2 squares chocolate
- ¼ cup shortening
- 1 cup sugar
- 2 eggs
- ½ cup sifted flour
- ¼ teaspoon salt
- 1 cup chopped nuts

Melt chocolate and shortening together. Blend in other ingredients. Bake in a greased square pan, in a moderate (350-degree) oven for 35 minutes.

# Star Dust

STAGE SCREEN RADIO

Released by Western Newspaper Union.

By VIRGINIA VALE

IF YOU'RE all agog about who's going to portray whom in "Forever Amber," here are the most recent casting additions: Peggy Cumming, the young English actress, has the role of "Amber," of course, and Cornel Wilde is the dashing "Bruce Carlton." Paul Guilfoyle, Clyde Cook and John Rogers are "Jimmy-the-Mouth," "Deadeye" and "Blueskin" respectively. Twentieth Century-Fox is doing it in technicolor, and the production has already gone before the cameras, with John Stahl directing.

Osa Massen, who has a featured role in RKO's "Deadline at Dawn," was a photographer and film cutter before she became an actress. Later, when she was a star in her na-



OSA MASSEN

tive Copenhagen, she pitched in and cut and edited her own pictures. And she's still at it—she now makes a weekly photographic record of Susan Hayward's twins; the girls became friendly while in "Deadline at Dawn."

Cass Daley had a beautiful dream the other night. She dreamt that she was in the White House, singing as she never sang before. And her accompanist—President Harry Truman, of course. Now her one ambition is to make that dream come true.

Housewives, take a bow! Professor Quiz says housewives usually make out the best on his program, with doctors, lawyers and teachers on the rear ranks. And he should know. He's had contestants from every state in the Union on his Thursday night radio show, and there have been some from Canada, Europe and South America.

While Ingrid Bergman was making "Saratoga Trunk" she also made an abridged version of it for herself, shooting it in color with her own 16 mm. camera. Gary Cooper was camera man for the few shots of herself which she included. She began making her own pictorial record of movie-making in Hollywood shortly after she arrived there; "Casablanca" turned out so well in her miniature version that she attempted a more ambitious record of "Saratoga Trunk." Incidentally, she read "Saratoga Trunk" aloud, when it came out, to perfect her English, and was so much impressed by "Clio," the Creole heroine, that she envied the actress who'd play her—and got the role herself.

Teresa Wright dreamed for years of having her name in lights on Broadway; then she made her debut in "Our Town"—and had to change her name, because her name was Muriel, and there was another Muriel Wright on the Equity rolls. Teresa's her middle name.

Ricardo Cortez is resuming his acting career after four years' retirement from the screen. He'll return in Republic's "The Twisted Circle," starring Adele Mara, and will play a suave villain.

British actresses seem to be stepping into the lead in a lot of our pictures lately. Lilli Palmer, a British film star, has been signed to a long-term contract by United States Pictures, the new producing company headed by Joseph Bernhard and Milton Sperling. Her first assignment will be the leading role in "Cloak and Dagger," in which Gary Cooper will play the lead.

Grace Albert, a "Crime Doctor" regular, is a successful business woman as well. She's purchasing agent and eastern sales manager for her mother's fruit cake business, operated in Minnesota.

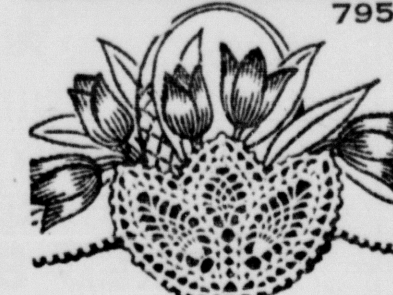
**ODDS AND ENDS**—Ted Collins, Kate Smith's manager, has lined up Ray Milland, Cary Grant, Dorothy Lamour and Olivia De Havilland for guest broadcast on the Kate Smith show. . . . United Artists is so pleased with Tom Breneman's first picture, "Breakfast in Hollywood," that he's been signed to make a picture a year. . . . Though Joan Caulfield's first film, "Miss Susie Slagle's," is just being released, Joan's already been named in eight polls as the most promising new star of 1946. . . . Ellen Andrews and her Belgian shepherd dog started their theatrical careers in the same Orson Welles production . . . but the dog's now retired.

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## Not That Kind

"What kind of animal is that?" "That's my Siamese cat."

"Where's its twin?"

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The Parent-Teacher Association of Hondo Public School will meet at 3 P. M., Monday, April 8th, at the school auditorium. New officers will be installed and a program will be presented. All members are urged to be present and visitors are welcome.

## WINDROW DRUG-NEWS

**THE Rexall DRUG STORE**

YOUR HEADQUARTERS FOR

# Easter Gifts

- Yardley Cologne Lge. \$2.50
- Du Barry Face Powder, Lge. \$2.00
- Yanky Clever Toilet Water \$1.00
- Rabbits \$1.85 up
- Baskets 30c up
- Johnston Chocolates Box \$1.50
- 50-Piece Silver Service for 8 \$32.50
- Stationery \$1.00

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Save flour and fats by avoiding spoilage and waste.

# EASTER RABBITS TOYS, ETC.

HEADQUARTERS FOR

## Filled Easter Baskets

With Chocolate Easter Eggs Rabbits, Toys, Etc.

PRICED FROM

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## DAWSON'S 5c to \$1.00 STORE

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. B. Weber of the lower Hondo are happy to have their boys back from the war, and both unscathed. Joe R. Seaman 3-c, returned some time ago after having served in the Navy since July, 1942. During his service he sailed over both the Pacific and Atlantic Oceans, his last months being on the latter, sailing out of New York. Wm. B., who arrived home March 20th after serving for 32 months as Inspector in the Air Service, spent his entire over seas service stationed in England.

Price control has held U. S. retail food prices somewhat in line, but the present inflationary pressures are forcing food prices up. Save and conserve the food that you now have.—E. R. LEINWEBER CO.

FOR SALE—Option for Whites Auto Store franchise in Hondo. Call or wire FRED WALLIS, Apt. 31-B, Farragut, Idaho. 10tpd.

Dressed poultry ready for the pan. HONDO PRODUCE CO. 2tc

For Horse-breaking and expert shoeing see Schueling Bros., Hondo. 3tpd

Strayed from the Jack Ulbrich place on March 3, a Hereford yearling. Branded lone bar on left hip. If seen notify E. C. Taylor. 2tpd

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LOST—in Hondo last Thursday. Brown hound dog, silver collar and license No. 101514. Answers to name "Jink." Notify Mrs. H. F. Mumme, Castroville, Texas. Liberal reward. Phone No. 48. 1tpd.

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LOTS MORE FAT SCRAPS TO MELT DOWN, NOW. JIMINY, HOW THE SALVAGE CAN FILLS UP THESE DAYS!

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Friday-Saturday April 5-6

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**MILDRED PIERCE**

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Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday April 9-10-11

**ALONG CAME JONES**

Gary Cooper Loretta Young

Friday and Saturday April 12-13

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Friday-Saturday April 5-6

**SHERIFF OF CIMARRON**

Sunset Carson  
Serial—Episode 11  
**PURPLE MONSTER STRIKES**

Sunday-Monday April 9-10

**SHANGHAI COBRA**

Sidney Toler Joan Barclay

Tuesday and Wednesday April 9-10

**HIDDEN EYE**

Edwin Arnold  
Frances Rafferty

Thursday, April 11th

**TROUBLE CHASERS**

Maxie Rosenbloom  
Billy Gilbert

Friday and Saturday April 12-13

**NAVAJO KID**

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# COUNTY U.S.D.A. COUNCIL PLANS FOOD CONSERVATION PROGRAM

The Medina County United States Department of Agriculture Council met in the AAA Office at 10:30 A. M. March 28, 1946. Those present were V. P. King, acting Chairman, representing the AAA; E. W. (Sam) Meyer, Production Credit Association; C. M. Merritt, County Agent; Christine E. Newberry, County Home Demonstration Agent; and James M. Ratliff. Other members not present were Ted Brethauer, E. E. A.; J. M. Finger, National Farm Loan Association, and John McAnelly, Vocational Agriculture teacher.

John McAnelly was elected Chairman of the Medina County USDA Council and James M. Ratliff was elected Secretary.

The main subject discussed during the meeting was the conservation of food in every day home life. The Council decided to send a letter to every farm home in the County encouraging food conservation and to get business houses in the County to encourage conservation in all their advertisements in the papers over the County.

James M. Ratliff, C. M. Merritt and Christine E. Mayberry were appointed on a Committee to work up the letter and advertisements to be put before the people.

It was decided that the Council would meet regularly once each month the date to be set by the Chairman at his convenience.

Having no other business for discussion the meeting adjourned until the next regular meeting to be called by the Chairman.

## ZION'S LUTHERAN CHURCH SUNDAY, APRIL 7, 1946

9:00 a. m.—Sunday School with Bible Class, William H. Sauter, Jr., Supt.

10:00 a. m.—English Lutheran service.

A very important congregational meeting will be held on Sunday, April 7, 1946, following divine service. Members please attend. May each member of our congregation consecrate himself anew during this Holy Lenten season to the task of leading others at home and abroad, to the Cross of Christ. Let's remember there have always been Judas Iscariots among the disciples of Christ. There are some today. Would it not be a good thing for each one of us to raise the question honestly for himself?

"Lord, is it I?" If Judas had asked that question sincerely and then turned in repentance and faith to Christ, he would not be where he is today. The words of the Lord of Jesus would have availed for him also. "Him that cometh to Me I will in no wise cast out." John 6:37.

We are always glad to welcome visitors, and to see our members attend divine services regularly. The church with a welcome.

A. H. FALKENBERG, Pastor.

## WEDDING ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. K. R. Waggoner of Lorraine, Texas, announce the marriage of their daughter, Billie B., to Elmer J. Schroeder, son of Mr. and Mrs. August Schroeder of Hondo. The double-ring ceremony took place in Lorraine at 12:30 p. m., March 16, 1946, with Rev. J. W. Price officiating. The only attendant was the bride's sister, Miss Margaret Waggoner. The bride wore a powder blue wool suit, white hat and gloves, and her shoes and bag were black. Her carriage was of gardenias.

Following a short wedding trip, Mr. and Mrs. Schroeder visited relatives in Hondo. They are now at home at Eagle Lake, Texas, where the bridegroom is employed by the Southern Pacific railroad. The bride was formerly employed there. Mr. Schroeder is a veteran of World War I and served 25 months in Africa.

## MRS. SARAH GRAY RITES AT LAREDO

Services for Mrs. Sarah Roach Gray, 76, who died Friday in her home at 334 Jennings Ave., were held Sunday in Laredo. A native of San Diego, Tex., she had lived in San Antonio 30 years.

Survivors are two daughters, Mrs. J. W. McDade of San Antonio and Mrs. E. W. Brucks of Hondo; three sons, F. H. Gray, San Antonio, John A. Gray, Laredo, and Loyd E. Gray, Long Beach, Calif.; four sisters, Miss Virginia Roach, and Mrs. Power Fenner, Laredo, Mrs. Allen Hall of Corpus Christi and Mrs. Henry Curbello of Freeport, Tex.; two brothers, N. C. Roach, Corpus Christi, and Albert S. Roach of Benavides, Tex.

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# NOTICE OF ELECTION FOR COUNTY TRUSTEES

## THE STATE OF TEXAS

### COUNTY OF MEDINA

To All whom this may concern: By virtue of authority vested in me by law, I hereby order and notice is hereby given that there will be an election held on Saturday, the 6th day of April, 1946, by the qualified voters of Commissioners' Precincts Nos. One, and Three, in said county, at the usual voting places in and for each Common School District in said Commissioners' Precincts for the purpose of electing County Trustees as follows:

(1) For the election of one County Trustee for Commissioner's Precinct No. 1, to fill the office now held by E. A. Bendele whose term of office expires. Said trustee to be elected by the qualified voters of said precinct only.

(2) For the election of one County Trustee for Commissioner's Precinct No. 3, to fill the office now held by W. O. Rothe whose term of office expires. Said trustee to be elected by the qualified voters within said precinct only.

Said election shall be held at the same time and place and by the same election officer who hold the election of Common School Trustees in and for each Common School District; and the polls of said election places shall be open at 8 o'clock A. M. and not close before 7 o'clock P. M.

Witness my official hand and seal of office, at Hondo, Texas, on this the 1st day of March, A. D. 1946.

ARTHUR H. ROTHE,  
County Judge, Medina County, Texas

## CARD OF THANKS

It is with heartfelt appreciation that we hereby extend to relatives and friends our thanks for their many acts of kindness to our beloved husband and father, the late Isidor Haby, during his illness, and for the expressions of sympathy to us on his death. We also wish to thank Father Lennen for his consoling ministrations and all who covered our loved one's grave with beautiful flowers. Your thoughtfulness will always be remembered.

Yours in sorrow,  
MRS. ISIDORE HABY  
AND FAMILY.

## COURT ASKS COOPERATION IN FOOD CONSERVATION PROGRAM

The Medina County Commissioners Court requests that citizens of the County, in cooperation with the Medina County United States Department of Agriculture Council, comply to the fullest extent under the Food Conservation Program as set out by our President, the Secretary of Agriculture, and the Governor of the State of Texas.

ARTHUR H. ROTHE,  
County Judge, Medina  
County, Texas.

## NEWS NOTES FROM LACOSTE LEDGER

### English War Bride and Babies Arrive in LaCoste

Mrs. Herbert Adam and son, Peter, (known as "Cookie") and daughter, Wendy, from near London, England, arrived here last Thursday, to join their husband and father, Herbert Adam, who had seen several years service with the U. S. Air Corps in the European countries and returned home in 1945.

Mrs. Adam and babies who left their home in England on February 27th are very happy with their new home and are greatly amused with the wide open spaces in Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Adam and babies will make their home here in LaCoste where Mr. Adam is connected with his father in operating Adam's Garage.

LaCoste  
Frank Milach from Asherton visited with Mr. and Mrs. Alex Jungman here Sunday.

Mrs. Florence Bendele is spending this week in LaCoste attending to business.

Mr. and Mrs. August Boehme of Rio Medina were LaCoste visitors.

## Lemon Juice Recipe Checks Rheumatic Pain Quickly

If you suffer from rheumatic, arthritic or neuritic pain, try this simple inexpensive home recipe that rheumatics are using. Get 2 packages of Ru-Ex Compound, a 1 week supply today. Mix it with a quart of water, add the juice of 4 lemons. It's easy, pleasant and so trouble at all. You need only 1 tablespoonfuls two times a day. Cures within 48 hours — sometimes overnight — splendid results are obtained. If the pains do not quickly leave and if you do not feel better, Ru-Ex will cost you nothing to try as it is sold by your druggist under an absolute money-back guarantee. Ru-Ex Compound is for sale and recommended by WINDROW DRUG STORE

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## Monday

Paul Kriewald of the University of Texas, Austin, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Kriewald here.

Mr. and Mrs. Branch Keller and T-Sgt. and Mrs. Wesley Bendele of here were business visitors at Hondo Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Mariano departed Tuesday for Waterbury, Connecticut, where they will make their home in the future.

Miss Mildred Mangold of LaCoste spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. Isabel Costely, at Our Lady of the Lake College where Mrs. Costely is a student.

Paul Christilles, Jr. and Marion Keller, students at St. Mary's University, San Antonio, spent the week-end with their parents here.

Alex Jungman, Sr., from here and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Embrey and son, Jimmy, from San Antonio visited over the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Jungman at Corpus Christi.

Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Kaplan of Austin visited Mrs. Kaplan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Keller here last Thursday. Mr. Kaplan is attending the University of Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bennett, Jr., are the proud parents of a baby girl born on March 22 in San Antonio. The little lady's grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Keller of LaCoste.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Zinsmeyer of LaCoste are the proud parents of a son born March 11 in the Santa Rosa Hospital in San Antonio. The baby was christened Patrick Charles in Our Lady of Grace Church here on Wednesday, March 20. Sponsors were Mrs. Cornelius Fischer and Clarence Wurzbach. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Wurzbach of Cliff and Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Zinsmeyer of LaCoste. Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Haby of Rio Medina are the young man's Great-grandparents.

## Castroville

Joe A. Bader was a business visitor in San Antonio Monday. Milton and Lawrence Tschirhart were in San Antonio on business Monday.

Alvin Tschirhart of Mandana had the good fortune of catching an 18 1/2 lb. catfish last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Keller of LaPryor visited with Mr. and Mrs. Louis Schott Tuesday.

Mrs. B. E. Steifer and daughter, Patricia Ann, of Corpus Christi arrived Saturday morning for a visit in the A. E. Karm home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Schott and son, Joe Lawrence, were San Antonio visitors Sunday.

Basil Karm, student of the University of Texas, Austin, spent the week-end as the guest of his father, A. E. Karm, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. William Jungman, Mrs. Charles Sueha, Sr., and Mrs. V. L. Tondre were Hondo business visitors last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Tschirhart and family visited with Mr. and Mrs. George Muench at Hondo Sunday.

Mrs. Henry Haller and Marilyn Tschirhart visited with Mr. and Mrs. John Gatoni and son in San Antonio Thursday.

Mrs. Emma Groff, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Bricker, Ora Groff and Bobby Jean and Patsy Lee Groff of San Antonio visited with Ben Vann last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard FitzSimon of here and Miss Mary FitzSimon of San Antonio visited Miss Eugenia FitzSimon, who is attending the University of Texas, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Haynes Aldrich

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HONDO PHONE 123

and son spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Tschirhart. Other visitors in the Tschirhart home were Mr. and Mrs. Joe William and son of San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Briscoe and daughter of San Antonio visited their place in Castroville, which is known as the old White Place on the west end of town, last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Murphy and daughter, Beatrice, Mr. and Mrs. Joe E. Schwartz and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Blackman and daughter, Ann, of San Antonio were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. John Mangold and family Sunday.

Mrs. Emil Stoy, Mrs. Charles Sueha, Sr., Mrs. Rudolph Tschirhart and son, Mike, Mrs. Charles Sueha, Jr., and son and Mrs. V. L. Tondre visited with Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Haby at Sader Settlement, last Wednesday.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Haynes Aldrich of San Antonio was baptized in St. Patrick's Church, San Antonio, on March 8, 1946. The name given the young man is Carle James and the sponsors were Leon Tschirhart of San Antonio and Mrs. John Schweers of Dunlap.

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Shower Head, \$2.50 val. \$1.49  
Dish Noodles, ea. 25c  
Dish Keroline Lanterns, each 99c  
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Morning Worship	11 A. M.
T. U.	6:30 P. M.
Evening Worship	7:30 P. M.
Mid-Week Church Night, Wed.	7:30 P. M.

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Magazine subscriptions; some popular ones are available now. See if you need any at WINDROW DRUG STORE.

W. Heath and T.J. Rackley, accompanied by Mr. Rackley's sis- Mrs. Howard Willis and baby, of near Natalia, were in Hondo today on business and while here gentlemen paid our shop a business call.



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Mr. and Mrs. Joe Haegelin of Houston spent the week-end with his parent, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Haegelin, and other relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter H. Knorr left Sunday for Corpus Christi, where they will make their home. Mr. Knorr is employed by the West End Lumber Company there.

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Mr. Jordan T. Lawler, the Castroville Public Service man, was in Hondo Tuesday on business. And what with running a public service that furnishes both light and water to his people, and, at the same time running the Machine for Medina County as Chairman of the Executive Committee of the Democratic party, whose higher ups have neither "light" nor "water" to furnish the people, he IS a busy man.

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## WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

Farmers Set for Big Crop Year;  
Reds Plan Industrial Expansion;  
Peron Victory Poses Problem

Released by Western Newspaper Union.  
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With money cheap and goods scarce, German women dicker with Russian soldiers for clothing in Berlin black market. Despite efforts to suppress illegal trade, pressing demands for goods result in re-appearance of practice.

FARMERS:  
All-Out Again

In stepping up crop acreage this year in answer to government demands for increased food production, farmers are banking on the continued good growing weather of the war years and no adverse turn of the present tight labor, machinery and equipment situation. Though falling short of government acreage goals for 16 major crops by 3 per cent, farmers plans call for planting 357½ million acres this year in comparison with 357 million in 1945 and 355 million for the 1934-'43 average.

Of critical crops needed for overseas relief, wheat is expected to exceed goals while prospects for vegetable oil seeds are less favorable. Oats, peanuts, tobacco and rice are also expected to surpass goals with corn, hay, sorghums, barley, potatoes, sugar beets, dry beans and peas falling short.

With the indicated acreage of corn down from last year and only oats of all the feed grains expected to top goals, additional reductions in livestock feeding through 1947 were forecast.

## U. S. Drinking Heavy

Americans spent an average of \$58 for every man, woman and child in the country on alcoholic drinks in 1945 as consumption reached 19½ million gallons, 14 per cent more than the previous year. As a result of continued high taxes, the federal government collected about 2½ billion dollars on total sales of almost 8 billion dollars, with the states taking another half billion.

## UNO:

## Back Iran

Maintaining its firm position against encroachment on the sovereignty of small nations, the U. S. pressed for UNO's consideration of Iran's complaint against Russian occupation of the country in the face of Soviet opposition.

Evidencing no inclination to back down on its strong statement that it could not remain indifferent to Russian activities in Iran, the U. S. backed the Reds' request for a postponement of Iran's complaint because of their professed inability to assemble pertinent data in time for the hearing. By opposing the Russian demand, the U. S. substantiated reports from Teheran that this country had pledged Iran to back its rights under the UNO charter.

Iran's complaint against Russia was the second filed since UNO got underway, Teheran having previously protested against Red support of an autonomous movement in Azerbaijan province. Basis of the second complaint, Russia's occupation of Iran was seen as a move to exert pressure for obtaining oil concessions in the northern half of the country adjoining the Red petroleum fields around Baku.

LABOR BILL:  
Senate Version

Minus the stringent restrictions of the house-approved Case bill but providing for free movement of perishable farm goods to market or processing centers without interference, the senate's education and labor committee drew up its own labor measure for consideration of the upper chamber.

Whereas the Case bill had called for 30-day cooling off periods and creation of a labor management board to investigate disputes, the senate measure would establish an independent mediation board designed to avert strikes by conciliating differences between workers and employers.

While the Case bill would make unions liable for contract violations and outlaw inter-union boycotts of employers engaged in disputes, the senate measure would impose fines and imprisonment upon anyone resorting to violence and intimidation in seeking to stop truckers from hauling perishables to their destination. Sponsored by Senator Aiken (Rep., Vt.) the provision was opposed by a committee minority which charged discrimination against non-farm carriers.

RUSSIA:  
Industrial Plan

Looking not only to the rebuilding of its war-shattered economy but also to the further development of the country, Russia proclaimed a new five-year-plan affecting industry, housing, education and research.

For industry, Russia plans a three to four-fold increase in automobile production; one and one-half fold in chemical output, and a 17 per cent raise in food processing. In addition, iron production would be stepped up to 19 million tons annually; steel, 25 million tons; coal, 250 million tons; oil, 35 million tons and electric power, 85 billion kilowatt hours.

Over 3¼ billion dollars are scheduled to be spent on housing over the five-year period and prewar expenditures for education and culture would be increased two and one-quarter times to over 13¼ billion dollars.

Substantial sums also were reserved for scientific research, including the release and utilization of atomic energy and weather forecasting.

## DIPLOMACY:

## U. S. Embarrassed

Juan Domingo Peron's smashing victory in Argentina's presidential election has greatly complicated the U. S.'s diplomatic position in South America since this country not only openly opposed his candidacy but also repeatedly insisted that it could not sign any treaty with a government headed by him.

Second-guessers were quick to jump on the state department's back for underestimating Peron's strength among the working classes and farmers and going out whole-hog for the opposition. The workers idolize Peron for having pushed legislation for raising wages, establishing social security and assuring vacations with pay, while the farmers are in sympathy with his agrarian reforms.

Now seated firmly in the saddle, Peron could relieve U. S. embarrassment by acting against the Nazi industrialists and agents he is accused of harboring. While Britain has gone along with the U. S. in diplomatic protests against Fascist penetrations in Argentina, observers believe London could not be expected to apply pressure against Peron because of Britain's dependence upon the South American nation for wheat and meat.

JAPAN:  
Production

Severely crimped by U. S. bombings through the war, Japanese industry is making a slow but steady recovery under American military direction despite difficulties created by reduction of imports of material, damaged plants and a riddled transport system.

Showing a willingness to rebuild their once thriving economic machine in accordance with democratic principles laid down by General MacArthur, the Japanese have made noteworthy progress in re-converting war production facilities to peacetime output of farm machinery, household utensils, marine engines and parts for motor trucks. At the same time, there has been an increase in the manufacture of consumer goods from stocks of raw materials on hand.

In line with government encouragement, labor unions have been springing up, especially in manufacturing, transportation and coal mining. While workers have been pressing for better conditions and pay, no strikes have been called.

## Food

While the Japanese production outlook improved, the immediate food situation caused grave concern, leading General MacArthur to recommend monthly imports of 200,000 tons of wheat, rice and other commodities to avert starvation.

Much of the country's food trouble has been attributed to farmers' withholding of substantial rice tonnage from the market. On top of the November harvest being one of the worst in years because of climatic conditions, producers have shipped only 52 per cent of the rice demanded by the government for urban centers.

Besides hanging onto their rice, farmers have withheld their meager supplies of vegetables caused by diversion of acreage to rice last year. Farmers have also been getting substantial amounts of seafood because fishermen have gone to the rural areas to trade their catch for more rice.

FRENCH BLUEBEARD:  
Waves Flag

Charged with committing 26 murders for gain during the German occupation, Marcel Petiot went on trial in Paris, France, insisting that he had killed 63—not 26—persons because they were traitors to the cause of liberation.

In pressing its case, the prosecution charged that Petiot had lured his victims to his home on promise



Marcel Petiot (left) confers with attorney in court.

of rustling them out of Nazi-occupied France, but then had slain them to steal their money and jewels. Mangled corpses, human skeletons and charred bones were found in his residence, along with rotted bodies in a lime pit in his garden.

With luggage of his victims piled high in the courtroom, the accused Bluebeard indignantly denied killing for gain. Waving the flag, he said victims included gestapo men, French police spies and informers. A doctor, Petiot formerly served as mayor of Villeneuve-Sur-Yonne.

## PEARL HARBOR:

## Late Testimony

In his long sought testimony to the congressional Pearl Harbor investigating committee, former Secretary of War Henry Stimson revealed that President Roosevelt's cabinet had overruled his proposal for attacking Japan first late in November, 1941, and rather decided upon the dispatch of a secret appeal to the mikado.

Submitting a written statement to the committee because of inability to personally testify on account of illness, Stimson said that he had counseled action after learning of Japanese movements southward off the Asiatic coast. High officials in Washington were convinced that Japanese expansion to the south threatened the Philippines and aggression against British and Dutch holdings constituted a menace to U. S. security, he added.

Stimson also disclosed that the U. S. had considered proposing a three-month diplomatic truce to the Japanese late in 1941 on condition that the Nipponese would pull out of China. While the truce might have afforded additional time for negotiation, Stimson said he feared the Japs would have rejected it because of its stringent demands.

## NATIONAL INCOME:

Total income payments to individuals set an all-time high in 1945, with a total of \$160,749,000,000, according to the Alexander Hamilton institute. This was an increase of 2.5 per cent over 1944.

Salaries and wages in 1945 totaled \$110,162,000,000; somewhat under the 1944 figure of \$111,734,000,000. However, a comparison of the 1945 figure with that of \$45,658,000,000 for salaries and wages in 1939 indicate that the war years brought about a 141 per cent increase.

## Washington Digest

Hoover Hears Call  
To Help Feed Hungry

Cites Great Need for Food Grains Overseas;  
Asks Americans to Pull in Belts, Invite  
'Invisible Guests' to Their Tables.

By BAUKHAGE

News Analyst and Commentator.

WNU Service, 1616 Eye street, N.W., Washington, D. C.

WASHINGTON, D. C. — The speed with which the American people have run away from the war is incredible. Like the lazy workman who drops his hammer and leaps for the dinner pail at the first tuck of noon, we began a stampede for the dining table on V-J Day.

Stampedes always make trouble for someone. Many hundreds of people will starve as a result, and heaven only knows how the cause of democracy throughout the world may suffer.

We could not foretell, but we could have made allowance for possible crop failures. They were catastrophic in many countries. We could have pursued a different food policy at home. We shook with fear lest there would be surpluses, we tried to get the people to eat up their stored supplies and counseled restrictions on food production to prevent a glutted market, especially in eggs and poultry. And how we ate!

That is why, a few days ago, we hailed back Herbert Hoover into service. He said he had promised

ing lives. Then, near the close of the interview, he said in the same matter-of-fact tone, "There is one message I would like to give to the households of America." There was a long pause. Finally he spoke—looking at nobody, as is his habit—"I would like to have them entertain at their tables an invisible guest."

And so the old engineer, so often accused of having a heart of wood, the man of slide-rule and logarithms, painted a deeply moving picture in the simplest of words and in the simplest ways. I left the interview feeling sure that however America had been stuffing itself since the end of the fighting (we have run up the biggest food bill in history) we would be willing to conserve enough so that Mr. Hoover's invisible guests wouldn't leave our tables hungry.

Semantics—Aid to  
Strike Settlements

When President Truman, at a recent White House press and radio conference, talked about the hundreds of labor disputes which were settled by conciliation without



Mr. Hoover (left) addresses press conference on food situation.

his family for years to go fishing with them and he had only got started when he heard that ominous phrase on the telephone, "White House calling." He may have been reluctant to leave the enticing fish-filled Florida waters but there is no doubt that it was a keen satisfaction to him to get back into harness again, especially since he was called upon to do a job he knew he could do well. Whatever the public that snowed him under in the 1932 elections may have said and felt at that time, however glad the Republicans were to edge him out of politics, there were few who would deny that he was a success at feeding the hungry during and after World War I.

Ex-President  
Inspires Press

It was really inspiring to hear him. Not that Mr. Hoover could ever pull you out of your seat with frenetic oratory or raise your emotions to a fever heat with his personality. It was, indeed, the matter-of-fact, almost prosaic way in which he made his appeal that gave it weight. We were gathered in a small hotel "parlor." It was crowded. We overflowed the chairs and sat on tables and in the window niches. Many of us couldn't see him. Most of the time I could catch only a glimpse of one fold in his generous pink neck.

He had the facts and the figures all right—nine million tons of grain alone were needed to prevent starvation. At present there was only enough good grain in sight to make up 60 per cent of the need, etc. But he gave us more than facts as he explained what America must do and what he was sure Americans would do. He gave us faith.

He tossed the idea of rationing with cards out of the window without even a gesture. He said the American people would ration themselves, said they would have done it in the war that way too.

And when reporters asked questions with political implications he refused even to discuss that phase of the subject. He was talking about human beings, he said, about sav-

strikes and which never made the headlines, I couldn't help thinking of a conversation I had with Maj. Charles Estes, one of the labor department's anonymous heroes of these bloodless and successful encounters.

Estes has what it takes to be a conciliator and in his case it includes, along with a keen sensitivity to the human side of all relationships among workers and employers, a keen sense for the nice use of words. Indeed, semantics (the science of meanings, as contrasted with phonetics, the science of sounds) is his hobby.

"The ultimate goal of the conciliation service of the labor department is not merely the settlement of disputes but the prevention of disputes," said Major Estes the other day. And then he went on to expand on his thesis that the crux of labor-management relations is human adjustment, the adjustment of one person to another.

The main trouble, he says, is poor communication, which is poor for three reasons: 1, poor reception, or imperfect listening and perception; 2, poor digestion, or inaccurate interpretation and assimilation of what is read or heard; and 3, poor transmission, or inadequate use of speech and language.

Estes can go on for hours on that subject and will, at the drop of a hat. In fact, once when, interested though I was, I had to tear myself away for a pressing engagement, I could only do so after convincing him that I was not anti-semantic. I wish I had space to develop his ideas for they represent a practical system which he and his colleagues have demonstrated in "hundreds" of successes as the President put it.

Like most successful systems, the conciliation service's methods are based on a solid foundation of long, hard preparation and represent the concentrated ounce of prophylactic procedure that is worth a pound of exhausting arbitration, administered after the patient is already ill.

## BARBS... by Baukhage

Our government says it doesn't think Franco is a threat to international peace. So that's that. And the democratic elements in Spain seem to be no threat to Franco.

No one can be really objective about the contents of a book, any more than a dog can be philosophical about the contents of a butcher shop.

The Swedish discoverer of Greta Garbo has just died at 64. It's a nice life while it lasts.

You can't dispose of the Indonesian situation as just another struggle for independence, another American revolution. There is far more difference between the two situations than there is between mocha and java.

ASK ME  
ANOTHER?

A General Quiz

## The Questions

1. What is the only professionally used musical instrument to have been invented by an American?
2. Do ants raise crustaceans and insects as laborers?
3. How many edges has a cube?
4. Of the 15,000,000 members of American labor unions, how many are women?
5. What U. S. towns use initials as names?
6. Do horses on race tracks in the U. S. run clockwise or counter-clockwise?
7. The number of persons employed on American farms comprise what per cent of our working population?
8. Why is congress compelled to appropriate thousands of dollars annually for the purchase of calico?

## The Answers

1. The sousaphone, invented by John Philip Sousa.
2. At least 600 kinds of crustaceans and insects, including mites and flies, are raised and domesticated as workers by ants.
3. Twelve.
4. Three million are women.
5. O. K., Kentucky and T. B., Maryland.
6. Counter-clockwise.
7. Estimated at 15 per cent today.
8. By the Indian treaty of Canandaigua, 1794, the United States government is pledged "annually and forever" to pay to each man, woman and child on the tribal rolls six yards of calico.

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Witnesses will include enlisted men and officers both in and out of the army, and non-military personnel who have viewed first hand the

operations of the army.

The subject of inquiry will be relationships between officers and enlisted men both on and off duty. In establishing the board, Secretary of War Patterson requested its members particularly to look into such questions as housing, clothing, living conditions, and recreational facilities of enlisted men and women as compared with officers.







## REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

**John B. Nester** and wife to **Maurice H. Nester**, warranty deed to 213.9 acres out of Milton Anderson Survey No. 416. \$10.00 and other consideration.

**Louis A. Stiegler** and wife to **Marcello Turriate**, warranty deed to Lot No. 4 in Block No. 3 of the **Home Addition** to town of **Hondo**. Consideration \$125.00.

**Winnie E. Pinot** to **Albert H. Saathoff et al.**, warranty deed to 145 acres out of Survey No. 417, **Leo Bank**. Consideration \$7854.74.

**Janet M. McDonald** and **R. L. McDonald** to **John O. Palmer**, warranty deed to Lots Nos. 14, 15 and 16 in Block No. 56, in town of **Hondo**. Consideration \$5000.00.

**Peix Cuellar** to **Ernest Cuellar** and **Celestino Cuellar**, warranty deed to Lot No. 14 in Block No. 1, out of **Lawn Addition** to town of **Hondo**. \$10.00 and other consideration.

**Joe A. Bader** and wife to **Henry Graft**, warranty deed to Lots Nos. 1 and 8, in Block No. 11, in Range No. 8, in town of **Castroville**. Consideration \$275.00.

**Frank Fluegge** to **Arturo Nebarez** and **Juan Perez**, warranty deed to 15.24 acres out of **John Degant Original Survey** No. 31. Consideration \$220.00.

**Leus Mangold** to **Adolph S. Mangold** and **Hilda Mangold**, warranty deed to Lots Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4, Block No. 4, Range No. 4 in town of **Castroville**. \$10.00 and other consideration.

**Medina Irrigated Farms, Inc.**, to **Andres Zapata Sr.**, warranty deed to 7 acres out of **C. H. Dahlman Original Survey** No. 499. Consideration \$455.00.

**John M. Gray** and wife to **E. E. Shiner** and wife, warranty deed with **Vendor's Lien** to 56.21 acres, being all of Lot No. 19 in Block No. 3 of **San Antonio Trust Subdivision of Lands**. Consideration \$4500.00.

**Salvador Lopez** to **Felipa H. Martinez**, warranty deed to Lot No. 6 in Block No. 48 in town of **LaCoste**. Consideration \$150.00.

**Bankhouse** and **Starnes** to **A. G. Hiss**, warranty deed to Lot No. 8 in Block No. 17, in town of **Hondo**. Consideration \$1000.00.

**Howard O. Short** to **Inez Short**, warranty deed to Lots Nos. 9 and 10, in Block No. 57, in town of **Hondo**. \$100 and other consideration.

**Amenda Culpepper** et vir to **Joe E. Briscoe**, warranty deed to Lots Nos. 1 to 7 inclusively, in Block No. 44 of **City of Devine**. \$10.00 and other consideration.

**Medina Irrigated Farms, Inc.** to **Martin G. Alleh**, warranty deed with **Vendor's Lien** to 18.85 acres out of **J. Emercher Original Survey** No. 422. Consideration \$1508.00.

**Medina Irrigated Farms, Inc.**, to **Jose Maria Fox**, warranty deed with **Vendor's Lien** to 10 acres out of **John Degant Original Survey** No. 447. Consideration \$300.00.

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## AT THE THEATERS

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**Sun.-Mon.**—"Mildred Pierce," mother love. Players: Joan Crawford, Jack Carson, Zachary Scott, Eve Arden, Ann Blythe, Bruce Bennett, and others.

**Tues.-Wed.-Thurs.**—"A Long Came Jones," Western, with fun. Players: Gary Cooper, Loretta Young, William Demarest, Dan Duryea, Don Costello, Walker Sande, and others.

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**Tues.-Wed.**—"Hidden Eye," detective and dog. Players: Edward Arnold, Frances Rafferty, Ray Collins, Paul Langton, and others.

**Thurs.**—"Trouble Chasers," comedy. Players: Maxie Rosenbloom, Billy Gilbert, and others.

## FINAL RITES HELD FOR ISIDOR HABY OF CASTROVILLE

Funeral services were held at 9:30 a. m. Wednesday, March 27th, in Castroville for Isidor Haby, stock farmer of the Rio Medina community, who died about 10 p. m. March 25, 1946, in the Medina Hospital in Hondo. Mr. Haby, who was 78 years 8 months and 5 days of age at the time of his passing, had been in ill health for several years and had been a patient at the hospital about two weeks.

Services at Tondre Funeral Home were followed by a requiem mass in St. Louis Catholic Church, with Rev. Dean J. Lenzen, pastor, officiating. Interment was made in St. Louis Cemetery with the following serving as pallbearers: Ernest Haby, Ferdie Rihn, Henry Haby, Harry Haby, Otto Sittre and George Boehme.

Mr. Haby was born June 18, 1867, in Castroville, one of a large family of children born to Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Haby, pioneers of the county. He lived most of his life at Rio Medina engaging in farming and stock raising. He married Miss Josephine Deademan of Castroville over 47 years ago. His wife and ten children and 11 grandchildren survive him.

The children are: six sons, Tony, Arnold, Hugo, Tom and James Haby of Rio Medina and John Haby of San Antonio; four daughters, Mrs. Laura Haiduk of Falls City, Mrs. Minnie Britsch of Hondo, Mrs. Blanche Mills of San Antonio and Mrs. Melinda Wertheim of San Antonio. Other survivors include five brothers and three sisters, namely: George Haby of Leakey, Albert Haby of Castroville, Ben Haby of Dunlay, Ambrose Haby and Frank Haby of Rio Medina, Mrs. Theresa Rihn of Castroville, Mrs. Jack Haby of Dunlay and Mrs. Lizzie Frazier of San Antonio.

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1. All items will be sold at a fixed price; there are no bid forms to secure.
2. All sales will be for cash or certified check, absolutely no personal checks will be accepted.
3. It will be the responsibility of the buyer to transport the articles he has purchased. Unless the items purchased are transferred within 48 hours after purchase date, the purchase price will be refunded and the items resold. All transfers must be accomplished after 12:30 P. M. daily so as not to interfere with sales procedure in the mornings.

### DATES OF SALE AND ELIGIBLE PURCHASERS

2. Second Priority—to World War II Veterans and veterans organizations and local non-profit charitable organizations.
  - (a) From 6 April to 11 April exclusive of Sunday. During the hours 7:30 A. M. to 12:30 P. M.
  - (b) Veterans of World War II must have their discharge papers in their possession to gain admittance to sale. Veterans organizations and local non-profit charitable organizations representatives must have a letter of identification bearing the official seal of the agency they represent. NOTE: During the dates specified for sale to those included in the second priority, only those authorized to purchase in the second priority will be admitted to the field.
3. Third Priority—to the general public and to organizations not covered in the first and second priority.
  - (a) Sale date from 12 April to 17 April exclusive of Sunday during the hours of 7:30 A. M. to 12:30 P. M.

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